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JOINT EMBASSY/COMUSK MESSAGE

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MARR, KS, KN

SUBJECT: 361TH MAC MEETING

REF: (A) CINCUNC 070703Z MAR; (B) CINCUNC 150255Z MAR

1. KPA/CPV HAS PROPOSED MAC MEETING FOR THURSDAY, MARCH 20 WHICH UNC/MAC PLANS TO ACCEPT. OUR ACCEPTANCE IS BASED ON FACT UNC NOW HAS CONCLUSIVE EVIDENCE FROM ITS PICTURE TAKING EFFORTS (REF A) THAT NORTH KOREA HAS BEEN BUILDING TUNNEL IN SIXTH DIVISION AREA AND WE PLAN TO CHARGE NORTH WITH ARMISTICE VIOLATION. WHILE WE DO NOT KNOW WHAT KPA PLANS TO DO AT MEETING IT IS POSSIBLE THEY MAY HAVE CALLED MEETING TO RAISE TUNNEL ISSUE THEMSELVES.

2. DETAILS OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS HANDLING OF SIXTH DIVISION TUNNEL OUTLINED REF B HAVE BEEN COORDINATED WITH ROK MND AS FOLLOWS: AFTERNOON FOLLOWING ACCEPTANCE KPA PROPOSAL FOR MAC MEETING WHICH WILL
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BE PASSED THROUGH JDO AT PANMUNJOM 1100 HOURS, MARCH 19,

PRESS REPRESENTATIVES WILL BE TAKEN TO SIXTH DIVISION
AREA FOR ON SITE INSPECTION AND WILL BE GIVEN UNC
PRESS RELEASE EMBARGOED UNTIL 0001 HOURS MARCH 20.
AT 1000 HOURS, MARCH 20 MND WILL BRIEF NATIONAL
ASSEMBLY. MAC MEETING WILL THEN BE HELD AT REGULAR
TIME, 1100 HOURS, MARCH 20.
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